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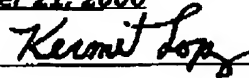
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: CURTIS B. JOHNSON **EXAMINER:** LIEU, JULIE BICHNGOC
SERIAL NO.: 10/824,553 **GROUP:** 2612
FILED: 04/14/2004 **ATTY DKT NO.:** H0006341-0779
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 02, 2006 in the above captioned matter, the Applicant presents the following amendments to the specification and claims, and remarks thereof:

Amendments to the claims begin on Page 2 of this Paper.

Remarks begin on Page 7 of this Paper.

A Petition for a 2 Month Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is also enclosed herewith.